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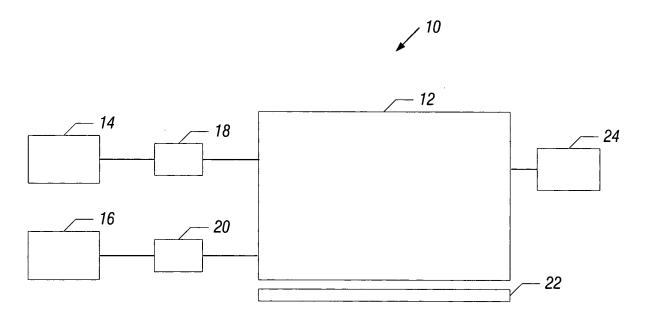
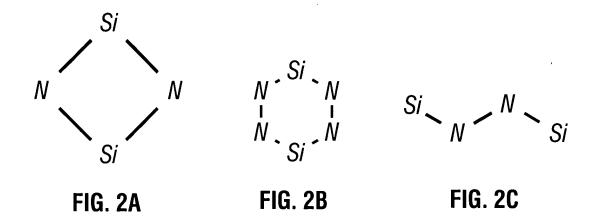
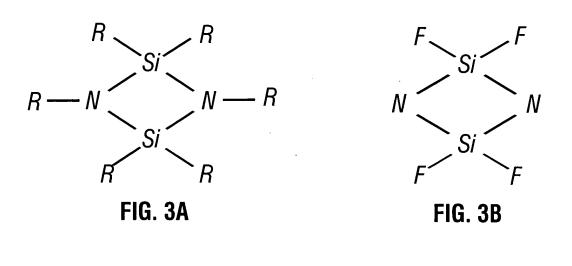


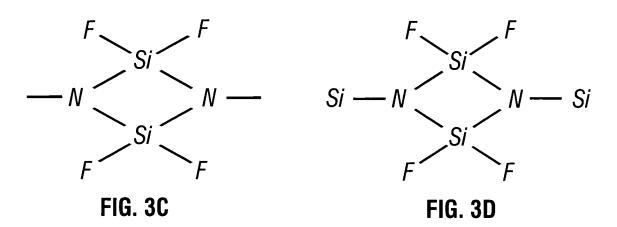
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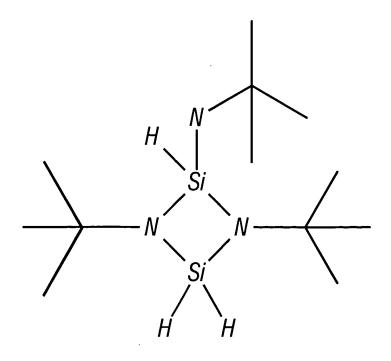


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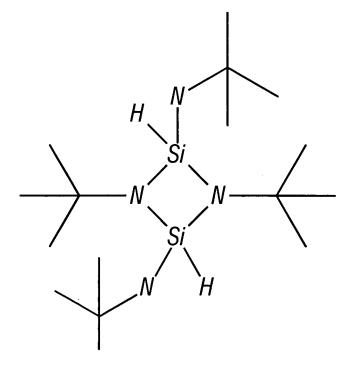


FIG. 3F

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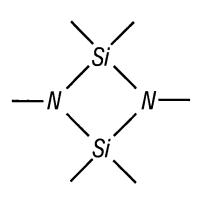


FIG. 3G

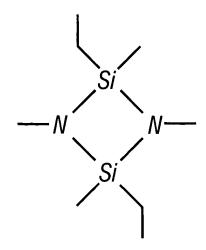


FIG. 3H

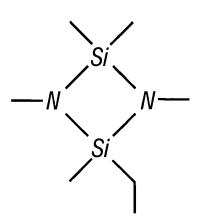


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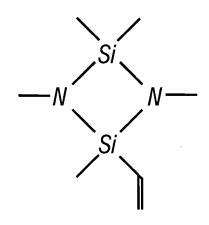


FIG. 3J

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FIG. 3K

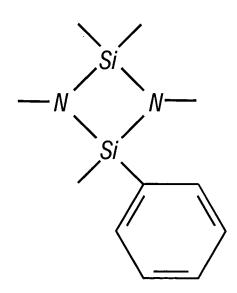
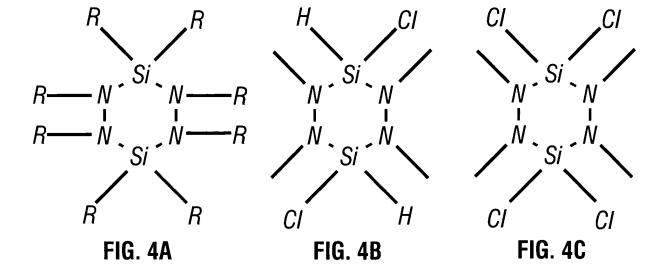


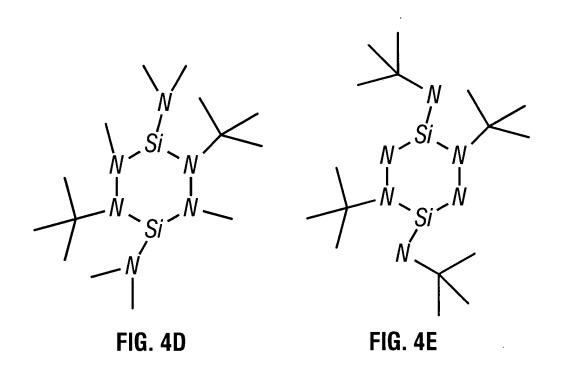
FIG. 3L

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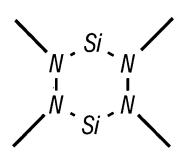


FIG. 4F

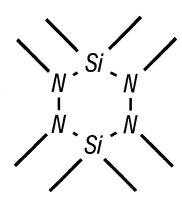


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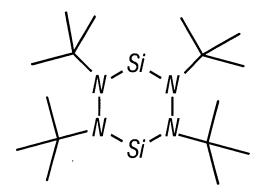


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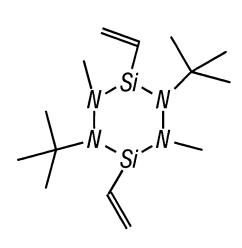


FIG. 41

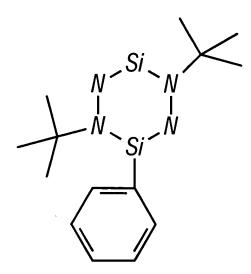


FIG. 4J

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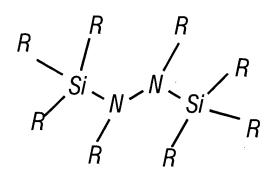


FIG. 5A

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FIG. 5D
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FIG. 5E